

Peninsula Enterprise.

ACCOMAC COURT HOUSE, VA.

SATURDAY, JUNE 28, 1902.

JONE W. EDMONDS, Editor and Owner.

LOCAL NEWS.

County Court next Monday.

Board of Supervisors meet July 11th.

Peninsula Fair, Tasley, Va., August 5, 6, 7, 8.

The Massey farm, situated near New Church Station, is offered for sale by W. S. Holland & Co., in this issue. See advertisement.

A lawn fête will be held next Saturday afternoon at New Church by the Chincoteague Baptist Church in the yard of Miss Ella Johnson.

Mr. Drummond Fletcher, of Tacoma, Washington, was at Accomac C. H. this week, visiting his brother, Mr. J. H. Fletcher, Jr.

The children's day service at Atlantic Baptist Church next Sunday will be held in the afternoon instead of at night, as was previously announced.

The Eastern Shore graduates of Blackstone Female Institute the past session are Miss Lulu A. Phillips, of Belle Haven, and Miss Loleta Boggs, of Mappesburg.

Steamer Lillie, S. E. Matthews captain, will leave Wishart's Point Friday morning, July 4th, 8:30 o'clock for Chincoteague returning 7 p. m. Fare, round trip, 25 cents.

Special attention is invited to advertisements in this issue of Geo. R. Justis & Son, Leemont, and E. F. Guillette & Co., Temperanceville. Read them if you want bargains.

A fair will be held at Hallwood, Wednesday, July 23d, beginning at 1 p. m. Supper and refreshments will be served. Proceeds for benefit of Baptist Church at that place.

Mr. N. E. Sartorius, of Pocomoke city, has located at Parkley and opened up a full line of watches, clocks and jewelry. He also has a complete assortment of spectacles and eye-glasses. Eyes tested free by him.

Mr. William F. Kellam, of Locustville, son of Dr. Jno. W. Kellam, received the degree of B. A., at Randolph-Macon College this session. He arrived home on Saturday to spend the summer with his parents.

Mrs. Malinda Dukes, a highly respected and esteemed lady, died Tuesday after a long illness of consumption at her home at Accomac C. H., aged 88 years. Funeral services conducted by her pastor, Rev. H. S. Kidd, were held over her remains at Drummondtown Baptist Church Wednesday.

Special attention is invited to the advertisement in another column, of a valuable manufacturing plant, which will be offered for sale by public auction at Petersburg, Va., on Monday, June 30th, by virtue of a decree of the circuit court of Notoway Co. For further information see advertisement and write the administrator or auctioneer.

The three valuable tracts of land, "Horn Cliffs," "Hangers," and "Hornmouth Land," situated near Eastville and Kendall Grove station, Northampton county, Va., and containing 320 acres, 217 acres and 103 acres, more or less, respectively, are offered for sale at private contract. For terms &c. see Dr. Burleigh C. Kellam, Cape Charles, Va., or L. Floyd Nock, Accomac C. H., Va.

A fair will be held at Craddockville, July 19th, commencing at 1 p. m. Under the auspices of the Jr., O. U. M. of Craddockville council, which will raise a flag on the school-house of that village on that day. Dr. Geo. H. Ray and Superintendent of schools, G. G. Joyner are expected to speak. A drama will be rendered at night. Supper and refreshments served. All members of the Order of Eastern Shore and public generally invited.

Mr. A. Watson Byrd, of the Maryland Manufacturing Candy Co., Baltimore, will call on the merchants of the Eastern Shore next week and will make it to their interest to wait for him. He wants your orders and is prepared to sell you the best goods at low prices. He will offer you as leaders, White House candies and Sparrows high grade chocolates, but can supply you with any grade of candies you desire. He also has in his line of samples, Uncle Sol's cigars, which everybody wants, who has once tried them.

The ladies of Makemie Presbyterian Church will give a concert at the "Old Masonic Hall" Accomac C. H., Thursday evening July 3rd, which promises to be of rare merit. Choice music, vocal and instrumental, will be rendered on the occasion by the Misses LoCato, of Norfolk, Miss Belete, of Northampton, Mr. George Powell, of Onancock, and by the most proficient in music of the town and vicinity. Refreshments will be served before and after the entertainment. Seats for sale at the drug store.

Some of the best money making privileges at the Tasley fair are yet to be sold. The hot sausage stand always a money-getter, even restricted in its sales to one article as it has been, will now under the right to sell clams, oysters, bread and butter and coffee, be a regular bonanza to some wide-awake man. And the ham sandwich stand—a new feature—can one think of a nicer or more profitable business for the capital required than that Ham sandwiches are eaten any time of day, by any sort of people, anywhere on the grounds. It's a prize.

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES

Pungoteague.

A number of the Faculty of Hollins Institute are visiting in the neighborhood.

Mr. Fischer and family, of Connecticut, have been visiting Mr. Fischer's sister, Mrs. Lloyd Smith.

The barrel factory at Pennyville, near this place, is manufacturing a great many barrels and selling them at 15 cents.

Dr. J. H. Hiden, of our town, has equipped himself with many facilities for medical practice not usually met with in the country.

Mrs. J. C. Wescott recently entertained the teachers of Pungoteague Academy and other friends at her home. A delightful evening was too soon spent.

Capt. A. J. Read is very masterfully managing the steamer for the Haskins Lumber Co., which is getting out a great deal of timber in this neighborhood.

Efforts are being made by the leading citizens of this place to have a public high school next session. There is good material for an advanced school, and its establishment is very desirable.

Rev. W. W. Sawyer has been having bad luck. Sunday evening eucuring couples with their scorchers seem to like to test the strength of his carriage and harness, without paying or apologizing for damage to same.

Farmers are highly pleased at the high prices paid for potatoes. The yield in this vicinity is averaging about 15 barrels to one planted. The spring drouth played havoc with the round-potatoes and has greatly handicapped the sweets.

At the recent closing of the 7th session, of Pungoteague Academy, the three students of highest standing in scholarship were Miss Susie Ames, Miss Rachel Wescott and Mr. Early Killman. Mr. Killman led the school by a margin of about one tenth of one per cent. Miss Ames standing next in excellence.

Onley.

Mr. E. G. Fox, proprietor of Hotel de Fox, this place, lost a valuable horse last Monday.

Rev. R. N. Hartness, of Accomac, was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. A. L. Carson on Monday.

Mr. Sidney East of Newport News, was home last week on a visit to his sick sister, Mrs. Polly Mears.

The acreage in sweet potatoes this year is very large in this section. Mr. Wm. E. Mapp leads with 200,000 sprouts.

The third Quarterly Conference for Onley and Andrew Chapel will be held at Andrew Chapel the 6th and 7th of July.

Forty barrels of round potatoes, marketable stock, were dug this season by Mr. L. J. Savage from three-fourths of barrel planted.

Rev. Mr. Harte, of Petersburg, arrived Saturday en route to his new charge, Zion Baptist Church. He was entertained while here by Mr. W. F. White.

Masters Olin McMath and Irving Lilliston, students at Randolph-Macon and Richmond College the past session, returned home for the summer last week.

Quite a number of our people attended the children's day exercises at Andrew Chapel on last Sunday afternoon. The program was well rendered and reflected much credit upon Mrs. Spencer Finney who had charge of the children and labored so faithfully in training them.

Quite a little company of friends were gathered at the home of Mr. J. W. Rogers on Tuesday evening in honor of his birthday. Selections of appropriate music and recitations added much to the occasion and delicious refreshments were served. All present declared the evening as being most enjoyable and wished our genial host many, many happy returns.

Mappesburg.

Miss Mattie Wise is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. T. Wescott.

Mrs. Janie Edmonds is visiting her daughter in Newport News.

Mrs. Stevenson, of Pocomoke City, is visiting Mrs. W. B. Corbin.

Mr. Joe Boggs, of Newport News, is home on a visit at this writing.

Miss Lillie Elmore is attending the Summer Normal, Charlottesville.

There will be children's services at Garrison's Chapel next Sunday afternoon.

Misses Essie, Rachel and Sallie Wescott are visiting relatives in Baltimore.

Mrs. F. O. Boone has purchased the house and lot of Mr. A. C. Campbell at this place.

Miss Sadie Ames returned home last Thursday from the Normal school at Front Royal.

Mr. Waters Corbin and Miss Susie Boggs were married last Tuesday evening at the bride's residence. Rev. Mr. Bates officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Corbin took the North bound train for New York, Niagara Falls and other places of interest and will be at home to their friends after the 28, near Mappesburg, Va.

The cut-price millinery store in Onancock has attracted good trade. A lot of hats and flowers of fine quality just purchased from New York at a great bargain are going, positively, at half of regular prices.

A large assortment of men's, boys' and children's clothing just opened out. The prices are lower than ever. We can fit you and the prices will suit all.

Ames, Shield & Co.

Chincoteague.

Dulan, son of George H. Jester, died Monday, aged 3 years.

Mrs. Sallie Archie, mother of John Archie, died on 18th inst., aged 78 years.

Mrs. Eliza Clark, wife of Elias Clark, died last Saturday, 21st, aged 70 years.

Mr. William Burton and wife, of Wachapreague, have rented and now occupy the Island Hotel.

Steamers will run from Franklin City and Wishart Point to Chincoteague on 4th of July at reduced rates.

Schooner E. H. Bennett arrived this week from New York with cargo of bricks and Schooners Moffitt and Richards loaded here this week with cargoes of potatoes for Atlantic, N. J.

A new dwelling is being erected by Mr. Elijah Jester on Clark Avenue. Mr. Jas. F. Powell is enlarging his storehouse and will also add soon a glass front, the new stores in course of erection for some time by Mr. Thos. Mears for W. J. and A. L. Matthews and Major Jones on Main St. are finished, and report says, Mr. Archie Jones will soon improve his store by a glass front and that Mr. J. L. Anderson will remodel and enlarge his drug store on Main St.

Arrival at Atlantic Hotel this week: T. H. Mears, G. S. Harris, E. D. Hanson, J. L. Rose, Robt. L. Mayo, W. C. Quillen, Baltimore; M. E. Selby, Fred Clark, Wilmington; J. M. Jenkins, Cleveland, Ohio; C. R. Fligg, Stockton; H. F. Bratton, Hurlock; H. H. Payne, Snow Hill; A. H. Howard, Sydney S. Brown, J. H. Farlow, Herlin; T. H. Purnell, Ocean City; R. Sheriff, Seaford; W. L. Kennerly, Harrington; J. P. Lankford, Northampton; G. B. Byrd, Accomac.

Mr. Fred Seora, wife and son, of Philadelphia, are spending the summer with her father, Mr. W. F. R. Cropper; Mrs. D. J. Wheaton, son and daughter, of Philadelphia, are occupying their residence here; E. Maffit and wife, of this place, are at North East, Md., for the summer, Peter Corbin and wife are visiting in Baltimore; Mrs. R. H. Phillips is with friends at Chester, Pa.; Capt. George Birch and wife are at Lewes, Del.; Mrs. Thomas Scott has moved to Ocean City for the summer and S. E. Matthews, Geo. A. Payne, Burton and Daniel Birch are in Philadelphia.

Onancock.

Mr. J. Thomas Powell, of Baltimore, is in town this week.

Miss Mattie Robinson, of Princess Anne, Md., is visiting the Misses Warren.

Mrs. J. B. Pruitt, of Pocomoke City, Md., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Pitts.

Mr. Warner Ames, son of Mr. Richard T. Ames, successfully passed the State Bar examination this week.

Mrs. Edward B. Finney has left for an extended trip to the Lake region in Wisconsin. She was accompanied as far as Baltimore by her daughter, Miss Ethel B. Finney.

Rev. J. Scott Meredith, rector of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, left Monday for Virginia Beach, where he officiated at the marriage of his sister, Miss Nellie Meredith, to Rev. Mr. Robeson, on Wednesday.

Miss Laura Richards, who has been visiting Mrs. Bertie Powell, left Friday for her home Georgetown, Del. She was accompanied by Miss Pansy Wilkins, who will visit her sister, Mrs. Joseph Cahall.

Announcement was made in our town this week, that Accomac was to lose one of its fairest maidens, as Miss Charlotte Lansing Parker, daughter of Onancock's genial postmaster, Mr. W. H. Parker, was to be married on July 2nd, in St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Washington, to Mr. Frank Cushman Wilson.

The Chesapeake Lodge, A. F. & M. No. 138, installed the newly elected officers on Tuesday night, viz: Otto L. Parker, W. M.; Thomas S. Hopkins, S. W.; I. W. Bagwell, J. W.; E. E. Miles, treasurer; G. G. Joyner, secretary; Edward B. Parker, S. D.; Thomas B. Quibby, J. D.; and T. G. Kellam, tiller. After the installation elegant refreshments were served in the supper room of the Town Hall. Over one hundred ladies and gentlemen were present.

Sanford.

Clams selling here readily at 33 per thousand.

Our farmers busy shipping Irish potatoes. The crop, owing to drouth, cut off about one half.

Mrs. L. M. Thomas and daughter, of Wheaton, Lancaster Co., are the guests of Mrs. M. F. Hall.

Improvements on Pocomoke M. E. Church, South, began this week, under the supervision of Mr. Geo. W. Johnson, who has contracted to do the work for the sum of \$400.

Mr. Willard Thompson, of the B. & O. A. Railway Co., made a tour of inspection to the wharves of the Pocomoke River route last week. The Company will, it is stated, build a wharf at Shad Landing in the near future, and it is to be hoped that the report is correct. It will help us and the Company too.

The catalogues of the Peninsula Fair Association, Tasley, Va., are now ready for distribution. I have mailed all of our old patrons a copy, and have placed some in most of the county stores. Should any party not receive one, kindly notify me and I will gladly mail them a copy.

Thos. S. Hopkins, Secretary.

Hats, hats, hats for men and boys at Ames, Shield & Co.

Exmore.

Mr. Edgar Adair has been engaged as book-keeper by Mr. J. W. Chandler at this place.

Miss Nan Abdell, who has been on an extended trip to Baltimore returned home this week, much to the delight of her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Davis have returned from their bridal tour, and are boarding at the home of Mr. Danton at Nassawadox.

A number of our young people are organizing a party for Wilkins Beach next Tuesday, to attend the ball given by them on that evening.

Mr. W. H. Lewis, severely injured some time ago by a falling rail, which smashed his foot severely, rendering him unable for duty, is now able to be out again.

A large number of barrels of round potatoes are being shipped from here at present and excellent prices being realized. The crop, however, is somewhat diminished owing to the drouth in this section.

The "Peninsula Athletics," are arranging for a game of base ball to be played at Hog Island, on Friday, July 4th, with the Broadwater club. Both teams are being greatly strengthened and a good game is looked for.

Miss Carrie Wells, who has been attending school at Portsmouth, arrived home Tuesday to spend the summer vacation with her mother, Mrs. Jennie D. Wells. Miss Carrie has many friends in this vicinity who gladly welcome her return.

A musical was given by Mrs. William Copes, at her home at Davis Wharf, near this place, Thursday evening. The parlors were well filled with invited guests from different parts of the county, and an enjoyable evening spent. Too much cannot be said in behalf of the fair hostess who so royally entertained them. Refreshments of all kinds were served in abundance.

The ladies of Johnstown Church held a series of concerts in different parts of the county this week. On Thursday evening they appeared at Belle Haven hall, and rendered an excellent programme of vocal and instrumental music. They were ably assisted by Prof. Canfield and Miss Myrtle Lankford, elocutionist, of Pocomoke City, who gave some fine selections. A fair sized audience greeted them on each occasion.

Hornstown.

Mrs. Thomas Evans, Mrs. Gladding and Mr. Tom Russell on the sick list this week.

Mr. M. J. Colman has bought the property of Mrs. James E. Matthews in our town.

Miss Mattie Berry has returned from Farmville Normal School to spend vacation with us.

Mrs. E. J. Taylor has returned to make our town her home again to the delight of her many friends here.

Mr. C. W. Townsend and others, owners of the Sloop Onancock, are in Norfolk this week looking after repairs to their boat.

Miss Essie Evans is visiting friends at Salisbury. Miss Lizzie Watson is the guest of friends in Philadelphia. Mr. E. K. Townsend, of Salisbury, a former citizen, has made our town his home again. Mr. J. C. Orwell is still at Pocomoke City, assisting in fixing up race track on Fair Grounds at that place.

We haven't a building boom but several are making improvements which add much to the appearance of things. Of late the dwelling of Mrs. Thos. Pettit has been beautified by a coat of paint, the comfort of Mr. J. T. Bratten's home has been improved by a porch, and Mr. Julius L. Bayly has increased his facilities for accommodating the public by remodeling his shop.

Parkley.

Miss Sarah Parker is spending the week with Mrs. W. W. Bandick.

Mr. B. C. Young, salesman for Pate & Mason, has accepted a position in Washington, D. C.

Rev. J. D. Harte, pastor of Zion and Parkley Baptist Churches, preached his first sermon last Sunday and made a very favorable impression. The people here will cordially welcome him and his family in their midst.

Mr. Ephraim Wessels, a worthy and highly esteemed citizen, died Tuesday, of heart trouble, at his home near this place, aged 82 years. He had lived in the house in which he died about 65 years. Funeral services were held over his remains conducted by Rev. Mr. Pullen, Wednesday afternoon.

Leemont.

Mr. Allie White, Jr., of Pocomoke City, Md., spent a few days this week with Mrs. Cynthia Chandler, at this place.

A heavy rain storm passed over this section last Wednesday night accompanied by severe thunder and lightning.

Mrs. Ella Billings, of Boston, Mass., and her niece, Mrs. Fred Berry, of Easton, Md., are visiting Mrs. H. A. Corkran, of this place.

Miss Cynthia T. Chandler and Miss Addie V. Coard, both of this place, left on early train last Monday morning to attend the Summer Normal at Charlottesville.

Ladies shoes and Oxfords. We are leaders in styles and are selling them at right prices. Ames, Shield & Co.

I will sell at cost the following goods: Lawns, calicoes, gingham, white goods, dummies, worsted and dress linings. E. A. Bloom, Onley, Va.

BOARD OF FISHERIES.

Next Monthly Meeting to be held at Accomac C. H., July 22, 1902.

Pursuant to an order made by the State Board of Fisheries of Virginia, at a regular monthly meeting held on the 4th day of June, 1902, notice is hereby given, that the next regular monthly meeting of the Board will be held at Accomac Courthouse, Virginia, Wednesday, July 23, 1902, at which time and place the Board will determine whether or not there be grounds which should be declared barren area and opened for the purpose of planting oysters thereon within the limits of the Baylor Survey on the Eastern or Ocean side of Accomac County, as provided, through an act of the General Assembly of Virginia, approved April 2, 1902. And whether or not the Baylor Survey on the Eastern or Ocean side of said county should be so readjusted as to include therein any omitted natural oyster rocks, as provided through an act of the General Assembly of Virginia, approved April 2, 1902.

The foregoing matters will be determined by hearing the evidence of persons who are of opinion, that, there are barren grounds within said limits which should be assigned under the provisions of the aforesaid Act, and likewise, will hear the evidence of those who are of opinion, that, there are no barren grounds which should be assigned for oyster planting purposes under the provisions of said Act. And in like manner, the Board will determine whether or not the Baylor survey should be so readjusted as to include therein any omitted natural oyster rocks under the provisions of the act aforesaid.

Upon the determination of the foregoing matters in the manner herein provided, should the Board decide, that, there are grounds subject to the provisions of either of said acts, all applications properly made will be considered.

S. F. Miller, Secretary.

June 17, 1902.

Oyster Grounds Applied for Containing 8,426 Acres.

Mr. Editor:—Are the oystermen of this seaside aware of the fact that there is a concerted movement under the direction of a few, or a company of individuals, to deprive them of their natural rights and privileges? If not, it is time that they opened their eyes. In a short time, if the well laid plans of these natural rock grabbers are allowed to mature, the men who now make their bread and butter from the natural clam and oyster beds will be out of a job, and, in many instances out of bread.

Under the last Act of the Legislature opening the Baylor survey to the public, 8,426 acres of oyster grounds have been applied for, which embraces every valuable rock in the survey. If these applications are granted the oyster industry of the seaside will soon be in the hands of a few men, to the exclusion of the many who are now engaged in the business. The law which makes possible this wholesale grabbing of natural rocks is as acute an instrument for the aggrandizement of the individual and the disfranchisement of the poor citizen as the most vicious selfishness could desire. It does credit to the author's grasp of the problem, and his solution of how to save "all for me and none for you." It provides that application shall be made "for not less than fifty acres." The applications made cover the most valuable portion of the available grounds. These applications average 300 acres per applicant, and aggregate 8,426 acres. Divide by 300 and this valuable property and lucrative business passes into the hands of forty-two men. One third of these may be regarded as stool-pigeons, and when these receive their bounties and hand their grants over to the real owners, the oyster rocks from Kogotank bay to the Northampton line will be owned by twenty-five men, or, which is nearer the point, by the Seaside Oyster Company. And this, undoubtedly, from an analysis of the names of the applicants, is the object of its promoters and the purpose of the law. It will be the first modern Trust to get its grip on the throats of the people of Accomac.

Oystermen! You are in the last ditch! Citizen! You are confronted with the last opportunity to go to the shore for a mess of oysters and clams for your family! Now is the fight of your life! The success of this movement is depending on your poverty or your indifference. It depends on you being too poor or too careless to fight it. Organize, make an assessment, employ counsel, file your petition of remonstrance before the Board of Fisheries, arouse public sentiment, do all in your power to save to your families, and the citizens of the State the natural rocks of the Baylor survey.

Citizen.

Don't fail to attend Fourth of July at Parkley. There will be music, speaking by prominent men, elaborate dinner from 4 to 8 o'clock and refreshments served during the day.

Rev. E. D. Stone, of Baltimore, and other speakers will deliver patriotic addresses. Come and enjoy the occasion.

An all day fair will be held at Harborton Baptist Church on the 4th of July. Addresses will be made on the day by two prominent speakers. Attractive amusements may be expected. Dinner, supper and refreshments will be served. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

An all day fair will be held at Shiloh Baptist Church on the 4th of July for the benefit of the church. Dinner, supper and refreshments will be served.

Fourth of July Entertainments.

Hallwood Council of the Jr. O. U. A. M. will have their celebration July 4th at Hallwood. The program will consist in part as follows:

Parade at 1 o'clock, headed by Pocomoke Band of sixteen pieces. Back race at 2 o'clock.

Speaking at 3 o'clock by G. G. Joyner, Rev. E. Y. Poole and others. Base ball at 4 o'clock.

Grand display of fireworks at night.

Refreshments served. All Councils are invited to be with us. Everybody will be welcomed and no one will regret having spent the 4th with us.

J. T. Lewis, Secretary.

Come to Wachapreague on the 4th of July and see the laying of the corner stone of, what will be, one of the prettiest country churches on the Eastern Shore.

Programme.

Dinner at 11:30 a. m.

Laying of corner stone at 1:30 p. m.

Address at 4 p. m. by Rev. R. H. Bennett, pastor of Epworth Church, Norfolk. Subject: "The People Called Methodists."

Supper at 5 p. m.

Refreshments will be sold during the entire day at reasonable prices. Come to the feast.

There is something new and attractive the world round, but the greatest place for attraction will be at L. M. D. Mewers' pleasure place, Saxis, the Fourth of July.

It has the most conveniences for summer pleasure of any that is in your reach—plenty of seats and shade, music to beat the band, fireworks at night, such as torches to illuminate, place decorated with flags to remind you of the land of the free—makes you feel free. There will be plenty to eat and to think of.

Never miss a trip to Saxis on the Fourth of July. Those who once have been there try to take it in again.

Come one, come all and bring your friends and see what a big time you will have.

L. M. D.

The Sunday school of the Drummondtown Methodist Church will give a picnic at the "Folly" on Friday July 4th, beginning at 1 o'clock p. m.

Refreshments, consisting of ice cream, lemonade, cake, &c., will be served at reasonable rates. Mr. Isaac B. Clark will run his gasoline launch from the wharf down the creek, taking passengers at reasonable rates.

The candidates for the office of "Commonwealth Attorney" have been invited to deliver addresses on the occasion, and are expected to be on hand.

The public is cordially invited.

Committee.

The Fourth at Broadway Baptist Church, Cashville, will have many interesting features, viz:

A splendid dinner at 12:30 p. m.

Balloons ascension, 2 p. m.

Patriotic speech by Rev. H. S. Kidd.

Balloons ascension, 5 p. m.

One of the best suppers ever prepared 6 p. m.

Balloons ascension at 7:30 p. m.

Special entertainment of music, speeches, and dialogues at 8:30 p. m.

The 4th of July will be a gala day on Chincoteague. The Odd Fellows will be out in full force and have a big parade, there will be three horse races, boat and bicycle races and fire works at night. Nothing will be left undone to make the occasion a memorable one in the history of the Island. All who attend will be welcomed and highly entertained. Distinguished orators will be present to address the people, and the members of Union Baptist Church will hold a festival on the wharf directly in front of the Atlantic Hotel.

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